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## **Hand Delivered**

Mark Afable Commissioner of Insurance State of Wisconsin P.O. Box 7873 Madison, WI 53707-7873

Re: Jewelers Mutual Insurance Company

Filing Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 644.07(4)

Mutual Holding Company Plan

Dear Commissioner Afable:

Enclosed are two copies each of Jewelers Mutual Insurance Company's ("JMIC") Mutual Holding Company Plan ("Plan") and supplemental materials filed pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 644.07(4). JMIC seeks approval from the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance ("OCI") of the Plan which will form Jewelers Mutual Holding Company ("JMHC") and JM New Holdings, Inc. ("New Holdings"), an intermediate holding company, and convert JMIC into a stock insurance company directly held by New Holdings and indirectly held by JMHC. JMIC believes the Plan as structured is in compliance with Wisconsin law, specifically Chapter 644, is fair and equitable to JMIC's policyholders and is not contrary to the interests of JMIC's policyholders or the public.

If the OCI approves the Plan, JMIC will proceed to schedule a special policyholder meeting for a vote of JMIC policyholders eligible to vote on the Plan. The target effective date for the restructuring, assuming all approvals are obtained, is January 1, 2020.

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We look forward to working with you and your staff in your review of the enclosed documents. Please let me know if you have any questions or if you believe it would be beneficial to schedule one or more meetings to assist in the OCI's review.

Sincerely,

PARRETT & O'CONNELL, LLP

// Orem J. Parrett

Enclosures

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